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A Leningrad chemist, Prof V. G. Nemets, has synthesized "embikhin." Profv L. F. Lariov has used the drug in several diseases of the lymphatic system. It was tested in the treatment of lymphogranulomatosis at the Leningrad Oncological Institute.

Pathohistological studies showed that only hyalin connective tissue with a small quantity of lymphoid elements remained in the infected lymph nodes. Panting and itching disappeared in the cases, and general condition improved sharply. Leukosis and skin granulomatosis were also treated.

The method of application is very simple and is accessible to every doctor, whether in the city or country. Cases may be treated in the dispensary after the working day. Furthermore, even the embikhin prepared in the laboratory is very cheap.

The Presidium of the Scientific Medical Soviet of the Ministry of Public Health USSR has approved embikhin as a valuable therapeutic agent for lymphogranulomatosis, chronic leukosis, and malignant tumors of the lymphoid tissue.

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